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RED DEER, ALBERTA, FEBRUARY 5th, 1907.

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Is it frozen up tight these days? No reason why you should suffer the need of water. Our

TINSMITHING DEPARTMENT

is completely adequate to relieve you of the difficulty. Make the matter known to us, and we'll attend to the trouble.

Our charges will be moderate.

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is a matter that requires experience and judgment. The slightest variation in color, the smallest defect in cutting, or the least flaw in the stone, will make a marked difference in the value.

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H. H. HUMBER,

C.P.R. Watch Inspector,
 Red Deer.

W. R. JOHNSTON'S CLOTHING

The last few weeks has brought us unthought of success in clearing out our Winter Stock.

Now it is not a question of clearing our winter Goods, but rather to see how low we can get our stock before stock-taking, which will be on Feb. 9th.

Just one week more and then we will commence to put in New Stock for the Spring.

In the meantime we want every person to come early and pick out their Prints (Crum's prints, of course), Remnants in Dress Goods, Linen, &c., all serviceable lengths, and at clearing prices.

We are cutting into our staple goods to keep our Remnant Counter supplied, so you can rely on getting good value.

Nothing like having a Nice, New, Bright, Seasonable Stock to choose from, and this you will always find at

Brumpton & Gaetz.

FRESH GROCERIES ALWAYS IN STOCK

Western General Electric Co., Ltd. 'PHONE SERVICE.

Those desiring 'Phone Service will please call at the Company's office and make written application, at once, if they have not done so already.

The new equipment has arrived, and connections are now being made as rapidly as the staff can overtake the work.

A new Telephone List is in preparation. A great many new names will appear. If you wish to be in it, you should act promptly.

W. A. MOORE, Manager.

Elections in B. C.

SOLID FOR McBRIDE

Vancouver, Feb. 4.—Returns up to 10 o'clock show 27 Conservatives elected, 10 Liberals and 2 Socialists. In the legislature of 42 members, this gives the Conservatives a clear majority over the other parties.

Alberta—Brewster, Liberal, leads by 20, with six places to hear from.
 Atlin—Young, Conservative, leads by 32, with five small places to hear from.
 Cowichan—Hayward, Conservative conceded to be elected.
 Comox—Grant, Conservative conceded to be elected.
 Chilliwack—Clawley, Conservative, leading.

Cariboo—Nine places to hear from but it looks like election of Yoxton and Jones, Liberals, and defeat of Charles Wilson and Champion.

Columbia—Parsons, Conservative, leads by 40, with three small places to hear from.
 Cranbrook—King, Liberal, elected.

Delta—John Oliver, Liberal leads by 41, with eleven out of sixteen places yet to hear from.
 Dewdney—McBride elected.
 Esquimalt—Pooley, Liberal elected.

Fernie—Ross, Conservative elected.
 Greenwood—Probably Liberal.
 Grand Forks—Barnes Miller, Conservative elected.

Kamloops—Fulton leads by 83, with seventeen places to hear from.
 Kelso—Mackay, Conservative elected.

Lillooet—McDonald, Conservative likely elected.
 Newwattle—In doubt, but lies between Williams, Socialist, and Thomas, Labor.

Nanaimo—Hawthorthe, Socialist, elected.
 Nelson—Hall, Liberal, elected.
 Okanagan—Price, Ellison, Conservative, elected.

Revelstoke—Taylor, Conservative, elected.
 Rossland City—Macdonald, Liberal, elected.

Saanich—Boerts, Conservative, probably elected.
 Similkameen—Shatford, Conservative, elected.

Slocan—Hunter, Conservative, elected.
 Ymir—Schofield, Conservative leads by 93, with thirteen places to hear from.

Yale—Henderson, Liberal, elected.
 Victoria—Premier McBride elected and also all other Conservative candidates.

New Westminster—Gifford, Conservative, won with 677, Howay 547, Rainey 145.

Richmond—Cotton is probably elected. He has 283, against 281 for Weart, with Squamish and Howe Sound to hear from, Cotton will probably get a majority in

Howe Sound.

Vancouver—All Conservatives elected, with Bowser at the head of the poll.

Alberta Farmers' Association

The meeting of this Association in Alexandria Hall Monday afternoon was not largely attended owing to the very cold weather but there were a number of the leading agriculturists of the district present.

The meeting was called to hear the report of Henry Jamieson, the delegate to Calgary Convention of the Alberta Farmers' Association. Mr. Jamieson's report was a most complete and exhaustive one and covered the entire business done at the convention, for which he received the thanks of the meeting.

He began with the President's address which contained references to the power of organized farmers, the desirability of obtaining a special grade for Alberta oats, better freight rates east and west, and that our rates should be readjusted. He reported the strength of the association as about 1022 members.

They resolved that the Dominion government be requested to legislate for the protection of timber lands in the west and 20 or 30 acres of each 160 be allocated to homesteaders.

That homesteaders be given the first chance to purchase minerals on their homesteads, that the management of government telephone trunk lines be placed in the hands of a commission who will be above party politics.

The convention resolved that the government be requested to legislate towards restricting the granting of bonuses by municipalities to railways etc. That the government take steps to restrict the exorbitant rates of interest charged by some concerns.

He gathered from the discussion on irrigation that the grain growers of northern Alberta receive a more equal distribution of water from the Lord than the grain growers of southern Alberta do from the irrigation officials, even after the Lord has placed an abundant supply of water in the ditch.

Better postal service was urged upon the Postmaster general, also that elevators be compelled to use proper cleaning apparatus. The association was satisfied with the present Local Improvement Ordinance.

They favored the Dominion Government taking some means to guard against coal famines, and that a joint tariff should be in force over all railways to any and all parts of the Dominion whether operated by government or individuals.

The Provincial government was also asked to declare a bounty on coyotes, and the official organ of the Alberta Farmers' Association was declared to be the Edmonton Saturday Evening News.

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Mr. Stevens, secretary of the Alberta Farmers Association of the Province was present and gave a stirring address. He strongly urged organization. He reviewed the history of the George, Farmers Alliance, and other farmer organizations, and dealt with their faults. The Farmers' Association took lessons from these associations.

He said Alberta rolled oats were the best in the world, as turned out by Brackman-ker, Co. of Strathcona, and Alberta oats should be graded higher than they were. He concluded by wishing the organization every success. The meeting then adjourned to first Friday in March.

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Markets.

Butter best quality (in bricks) 25c.
 Eggs—40c.
 Hay (wild)—\$10
 Timothy—\$12
 Beef No. 1 (Live)—30c.
 (Dressed)—50c.
 Mutton (dressed)—10c.
 Chickens (dressed) 10c. to 13c.
 Oats (new)—21c.
 Potatoes—40c.
 Hogs—5 to 5.50
 Geese—14c.
 Ducks—14c.
 Turkeys—20c.

Red Deer Exhibition Association Ltd.

President, Hy. Jamieson.
 Secretary, A. W. G. Allen.

Curling

The result of the finals in the Calgary Bonspiel were as follows: Grand Challenge, Wilson of Innisfail first; McKillop, Calgary, second; Walker, Calgary, third; Kramer, Innisfail, fourth. Walkerville, Trimble, Lacombe, first. Brewery, Bruce, Lethbridge, first; Wilson, Innisfail, second. Visitors, Bruce, Grand Aggregate, Bruce, Burns and consignment—Tarrant, Calgary. District—McKillop, Calgary. Walker, who had a very strong rink, was victorious in eight games and he was considered a probable winner, but owing to one of his rink taking sick he was handicapped and lost the rest of his games.

Stock Judging at Innisfail.

Standing of the four highest in the Stock judging competition held at Innisfail Feb. 2, 1907, under the supervision of Wm. A. Munro of the Department of Agriculture:

I. J. Richards 128
 II. J. Smith 104
 III. A. Dallas 101
 IV. H. A. Malcolm 99

The Department of Agriculture will pay Mr. Richards expenses to the spring show in Calgary to compete for the trophy put up there.

Married.

At the rectory of St. Luke's church, on Tuesday 22nd Jan. Jacob Abner Kidner, to Miss Hilda Regina Johnson, all of Red Deer.

VOTE IN LIBRARY CONTEST

The following is the vote as recorded up to Friday evening last:

I. O. O. F. 75,132.
 Red Deer Public School 43,538.
 Fire Brigade Dept. 38,305.
 Public Library 3,763.
 Presbyterian S. S. 7,007.
 St. Luke's Church S. S. 4,532.
 Methodist S. S. 703.
 Baptist S. S. 9573.
 Woodmen 345.
 Masonic Lodge 200.
 Hospital 200.
 Can. Order Foresters 37.
 Spruce Bluff Farm 329.

Red Deer Directory.

Council.

Mayor—H. H. Gaetz.

Councillors:

Wm. Butterfill.

A. T. Stephenson.

P. Pidgion.

Thos. Gaetz.

F. H. Tallman.

S. E. McKee.

City Clerk, L. C. Fulmer.

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W. E. LORD.

Be sure and List your Farm

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A. J. STRONG, PENHOLD

HE CAN SELL THEM.

SOLD.

"Speaking figuratively," the Bargain we advertised last week was snapped up almost before the ink was dry, which demonstrates two facts: 1st, That it WAS a bargain, and secondly, that "The News" is all right as an advertising medium.

HERE'S ANOTHER—A snug frame dwelling, on two lots in Parkvale; rents steadily for \$7. Only \$600. Easy terms.

NOTE.—These frost-bitten, shrivelled-up prices will last only through the cold spell.

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 RESERVE - 5,000,000
 TOTAL ASSETS - 114,000,000

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RED DEER BRANCH,
 D. M. SANSON, MANAGER.

By DONALD ALLEN

1. The first step is to identify the problem or question that needs to be answered. This involves understanding the context and the specific requirements of the task.

She had heard of a rabbit being robbed out of a wood pile and a whole crowd joining in the chase, and it flashed across her mind that this was an occurrence of the sort. She was so undeceived. Three men, four boys and two dogs came running toward her and as she was seen there were cries of:

"There is one of them! Come and boy! Head her off and don't let her get away!"

Men and boys and dogs bore down on the helpless maiden, and almost before she could scream she found herself

"One, two, three, four, five, six," said the little girl.

A Broken Cup.

Signora Veronelli (seeking a servant)—Why were you sent away from your last place?

"Because I broke a coffee cup."

"Was that the only reason?"

"Certainly, except that on that occasion my mistress had a little wound on the head."—**Il Risso.**

Like All the Rest.

"I suppose," said the curious old man to driver of the city sprinkling cart, "that you only follow this business for the money there is in it?"

Blow of a Swooridah.

A remarkable illustration of the force with which a swordfish strikes a foe has recently been reported. While pairing a ship recently which had completed a long voyage in Pacific waters a sword was found which had successfully pierced a sheathing one inch thick, a three inch plank and boyce that four and a half inches of steel timber. It has been estimated that would require nine strokes of a ha-

"Day say contentment is better 'riches" said Uncle Eben, "but I mow up on dat I'd kind o' like to try b'm an' decide *feh* myself."

Giving and Receiving.
Hall Porter (to person soliciting a favor at a ministry)—The minister ceives from 10 o'clock to midday—
"All right," says the other, "but what hour does he give?"—Paris garage.

Low and Loud.
He-A woman, I notice, always lowers her voice to ask a favor. She Yes—and raises her voice if she does not get it.—Illustrated Bits.

He—Marriage is a pottery.
She—You mean a lottery, don't you?
He—No, I mean a pottery—a place
for making family jars.

Dusts travel That Dury Forests.
Travellers in Tibet describe the w
derful storms of dust that occur
Kashgaria, near the foot of the Ku
Lun mountains. "The dust in the air
sometimes so dense that complete da
ness prevails. Occasionally rain fa
during such a storm, but the raind
vapour, varying their descent, and
dust, carried with the wind, is
Eultra forests of poplar trees are bur
n dust billows forty feet high. Th
deposits of dust are afterward mos

are foudred by overfeeding, feeding when heated, watering when heated, high and low temperatures, overfeeding and suddenly cooling after the blood has been unusually heated.

The Petticoat Peril.
Just eight people are said to have been present at a meeting held in London the other day for the purpose of forming a "society for keeping women in their proper place." But the chairman announced that 200 letters of sympathy had been received. This meeting was called by a certain John S. Bloom, and one Archibald Gibbs took name acted as chairman. Both seemed to have taken alarm at the recent "su-

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THE YOUNGSTERS.

Some Bright Sayings by Little Men and Women.

Tommy—Mamma, didn't you say that the cake in the pantry would make me sick if I was to eat it?

Mamma—Yes, dear.

Tommy—Well, it didn't.

Little Margie—I said my prayers seven times last night, papa.

Papa—Why did you do that, dear?

Little Margie—Oh, so I wouldn't be sick.

"Now, Johnny," said the teacher, "can you tell me what a Mormon is?"

"Yes, ma'am," answered the little fellow. "A Mormon is a man whose wife is twins or triplets."

"Well, Harry," said the hostess to her small guest, "did you rest well last night?"

"I don't know," answered Harry.

"You don't know?" echoed the lady.

"No, ma'am," replied the little chap. "I was asleep all the time."

Everything But—
 "Just look, dear. Don't you think I am a real automobile girl? What do you think of my automobile veil?"
 "It is beautiful!"
 "And this automobile coat—Isn't it becoming to my figure?"
 "Wonderfully!"
 "And the automobile cap—did you ever see anything set so fetching?"
 "Never."
 "And even my hair is in a beautiful automobile touse. Isn't it grand?"
 "Indeed it is, dear, but—~~but where~~ is your automobile?"
 "Oh, I haven't a machine yet, but before I save up 10,000 baking powder

and 20,000 soap wrappers on all the cigarette coupons the young man got. "I got one in no time. I won't take over ten years at the long est."—Detroit Tribune.

The Wisdom of Dorothy.
Dorothy does not relish being left alone to go to sleep. "One night after she was tucked in bed by her mother, who then left her, she called to her father and asked if he wasn't coming to bed after he finished his dinner. "Yes; I'll go to bed as soon as my dinner digests." "But I don't want to go to bed until my dinner digests," she said. "I'll wait until my dinner will digest upstairs just now. Your dinner will digest upstairs just as well as down," argued the young houseful.

A Family Jar.
 "What is all that row in your house, Tommy?" asked the neighbor of the small boy.
 "Why, ma's canning fruit," explained Tommy, with an apprehensive glance toward the widow from which poured the sound of angry voices, "an' pa's a food inspector, you know, an' he's trying to tell her how she ought to do her work."—Judge.

Dangerous.
 Eva—Count Brokenin was sinking to the third time right by the launch

"Yes," the amateur actor boasted, "I created the part. It was all mine—this is, all except the makeup. The costume I fixed that for me."

"Yes," replied the friend, "I heard several people say your makeup was good."—*Philadelphia Press.*

Handicapped.

"What makes you think he will not be successful in politics? He has

great many friends."

"Yes. He hasn't enemies enough to secure him the abuse and criticisms that make people famous."—Washington Star.

Needs For Versifiers.

"Is a typewriting machine essential to my success?" asked the aspiring young poetess.

"No, dear girl," replied the kind but honest editor, "it is not even so important as a good eraser and a bright, irresistible fame."—Chicago News.

A Fatal Plunge.

He—Yes, I always put my whole heart into a love affair.

She—Yes, and you usually put your foot in it.—New York World.

Navigator's Error.

Matchett—He thought he had solved the problem of aerial navigation when he covered his airship with fly paper.

Gauss—But he made a mistake when he used the sticky kind.—Chicago News.

A Costly Desk.

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THE FARMER'S FRIEND

That's what we call this Lantern. Because they always say: "That's the kind I want; it's just like the last one I had, and that was a dandy. Never bothered me about going out."

THERE'S NO DANGER

even should you happen to knock it over while feeding the stock. Straighten her up, and she's all right. Oil don't leak all over, either. Set that old one that troubles you so much aside and get one of these.

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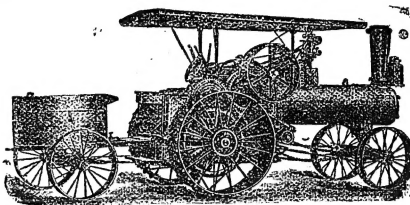
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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25th, 1907.

The Toronto World concludes an article on public ownership and control as follows:

"Public ownership and operation of monopolies is to sound a proposition for its supporters to fear the searlight of fair and impartial investigation. The municipalities of Britain, the governments of Australia and New Zealand—to take only our own kind and kind—do not hesitate to afford all facilities to special commissions and commissioners, and to individual students, necessary for the information of an independent opinion. They can afford to do this because there is nothing to conceal. There are no transactions in watered stocks; no manipulation of the stock markets for private gain; no issue of stock at par which commands a heavy premium in the market; no necessity to impose expensive rates in order that dividends may be paid on speculative profits first earned and then capitalized. All these things have happened, and are happening every week where public franchises and resources have been turned over to private companies. Even if the allegations of expensive public management were true—which they certainly are not if facts are to rule—public ownership and operation on a straight basis of legitimate capital charges would be a great and enduring boon to the people."

There is no good reason why Governments should not be able to build and operate railways and other public utilities in such manner as to be not only more profitable than corporation built and operated roads, all of which are weighted down by millions of watered stock.

A gentleman who was dancing with a lady at a public ball the other night, says the Buffalo Express, dropped his eyeglasses down the back of her low cut gown. Fortunately the lady was his wife.

A very slight escape of gas, insufficient to cause a smell in the room, is enough to cause constant headache, ulcerated throat, and generally ill health in those living or sleeping in the room, says a writer. One of the direct causes of tonsillitis is the breathing of gas.

The Provincial Government of Saskatchewan are, it is stated, contemplating the purchase of a coal area from the Dominion Government and operating mines. Failing this, they will probably regulate traffic so as to ensure a certain quantity of coal always being kept in stock.

Calgary, Alberta.—"The coldest day on record in Edmonton, was one last week, and the coldest day in Calgary was that fair April day when Frank Oliver and Peter Talbot sat down and carved the province of Alberta into provincial constituencies." That's all right, but wait until you see the new Dominion constituencies carved out.

It is noted in Toronto that the increase in the number of branch banks is affecting business between the retailer and the wholesaler. The smaller merchants, it seems, find it more convenient to get accommodation from the local banks than to give notes for the merchandise they buy. The result is said to be that there is more buying for cash, presumably at better prices from the retailers' point of view, and though the gain will be in part offset by the interest paid to the bank, the result is generally regarded as satisfactory and healthy. The bank is a help to sound business wherever it is established.

Our John T. has gone and had his "picture took" and it appeared in the Edmonton Bulletin on Wednesday last. Our member has a smile on his face like a basket of chips, as if he was say-

ing, "I have just chewed up the junior member of the opposition and only want a chance to eat the whole conservative party." Strange enough in the next column is a photo of Cornelius Hiebert, junior member of the opposition, and stranger still, if he had on John T.'s stand up collar and John T.'s smile which won't come off, he would pass for his brother. This is intended as a compliment to the junior member of the opposition as everyone knows our John T. is one of the most handsome members on the floor of the House at Edmonton.

6000 Famished Cattle.

McLeod, Alta., Jan. 30.—This town was invaded last night by fully six thousand head of half-famished range cattle and a host of mounted men are now endeavoring to drive the animals outside the town limits. The range cattle are now in exceedingly bad shape, and the losses this winter will run high. As a result of walking through the crusted snow the legs of many of the animals are raw and bleeding. Many of them can hardly stand, and every night many die from exposure and weakness.

Blackfalds Creamery.

The annual meeting of the Blackfalds Butter and Cheese Manufacturing Association was held a short time ago and everything found to be in a most flourishing condition. The output of butter for the summer season alone last year was 93,000 pounds and the creamery will run all winter. The creamery is out of debt, paid a dividend of ten per cent on the paid up stock, and there is the nice sum of \$800 on hand besides. The Blackfalds patrons are to be congratulated on the splendid showing their board of directors have been able to present to them this year.

General Items.

Evidence in the Thaw murder trial New York commenced last week.

Four deaths from frost and exposure are reported from Dakota.

Milk dealers are discussing the scarcity of milk in Calgary.

A Canadian Club was organized in Calgary last week.

Cattle are dying on the streets of Medicine Hat.

John Drew and son, of Snowflake Man, are buying oats and screenings from the farmers elevator to burn in their store. Others will have to follow their example. The situation is serious.

Timothy Eaton, head of the T. Eaton Company, Toronto, died on Thursday last of paralysis.

Charles McGill, late manager of the Ontario Bank, Toronto who pleaded guilty to two charges of falsification, was sentenced on Friday last to five years imprisonment.

The councillors for local improvement district 12-A-5 met at Pine Hill schoolhouse on Saturday for reorganization. These were present: J. W. W. Slack, Evans, councillor for 38-2; T. J. Davidson, Markerville, 37-2; John Bickley, Red Deer, 37-28; A. Linn, Red Deer, 38-23; A. Lindman, Burnt Lake, 38-1; D. S. Shaw, Solihelm, 37-1; Mr. Slack was chosen chairman and Mr. Davidson secretary treasurer.

The rate was fixed at 4 cents an acre—\$4 to be worked out, if so desired, and \$2 40 in cash for each quarter section.

Boy Wanted.

To learn watch making trade, apply to H. H. Hummer, C. P. R. watch inspector, Red Deer.

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50 Head Young Cattle. Spot cash. P.T. Burnt Lake or W. BANNERMAN. Red Deer.
2-21-p.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Shareholders of the Red Deer Mill & Elevator Co. Ltd. will be held on Monday evening next the 11th day of February at 8 o'clock, in Krause's Hall.

RED DEER MILL & ELEVATOR CO.

Stray Cattle.

Came to my premises, Sec. 12, tp. 38, range 1, west of 5th M. during the past summer, a two year old black heifer, and a black bull calf, with white on hind legs. No visible brand. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses.

J. Reinhold
Burnt Lake P.O. Jan. 9. 1907
31-52-p

Estray Cattle.

Two calves, one a red heifer, the other a red steer, with considerable white—almost a roan; one two year old steer, red and white, one steer two or three year old, light red, white feet and white beneath body. No brands visible on these cattle. Owner may have same by paying for feeding and for advertising.

J. H. GRAHAM
On Pine Lake trail, Edwells.
Jan. 19th. 1907.

Estray Steer

Came on my premises, about the 15th of Dec. a red dehorned steer rising three, an indistinct brand visible on the left ribs. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses.

R. F. PENGALLY, Red Deer
S.w. quar. sec 5, tp 38, range 26, west of 4th, 52-31

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Four line of suitings this fall than we had ever hoped to do. It's hard to be so fortunate we came across some of the finest things for

NOBBY GARMENTS

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Dry and seasoned wood delivered in any length

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Pocket Knives 5 cents per blade. Table knives 15 cents each. Carvers 10 cents each.

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Buck and Hand Saws, 25 cents. Cross-cut, 60 cents.

Fred. Hart,

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J. WOOD, PROP.
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Money to Loan on the Shortest Notice and Least Cost.

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Great Clearing Sale.

All these Goods must be sold; we are not going to carry them over, or stock any more of these lines marked "Special."

Silk Belts, were .50, .75 & .90. On sale for .25 & .35

Neckwear, the balance of our Xmas stock for 12½c. to 50c. were .50, .75 & 1.25

Ribbons, 5 in. and 6 in. wide, all colors. Special 25c.

Ladies' Blouses, all colors and sizes; only a few left regular 2.00 & 3.00. To clear 1.25

Children's Dresses, sizes, from 3yrs. to 14. Regular 2.50 to .500. **Going for Half.**

Ladies' Hats, trimmed or untrimmed, going for less than Half Price. Don't miss this chance if you want a good hat.

Children's Hats and Bonnets, made of the best velvet, silk and chiffon fronts. Regular 2.75 and 3.50. On sale for 1.75.

Dress Trimmings. These we have a very large stock of, from narrow braids to wide chiffon and silk; a great many of these trimmings are from Germany. This is a good chance to buy your spring trimmings at stock-taking prices. 5c. to 2.00.

Ladies' Skirts Just a few, and they must all go at one price. Remember there are only a few. Special 2.50

WOMEN'S and MISSES' CAMEL HAIR TAMS, Regular .65 to .90. To clear at 50c.

EMBROIDERY, 6 and 8 ins. wide; regular 25c. Special 10c.

WRAPPERETTES, reg. 25 and .30 To clear 2yds. for 15c.

The Balance of our BLOUSES, Special 85c.

LADIES' UNDERSKIRTS, Special 90c.

LADIES' NIGHTGOWNS, Special 90c.

WRAPPERS, 3 only, regular 2.50 Special \$1.00

FEATHERS and WINGS, at Big Bargains.

CHOICE CHOCOLATES, a few boxes at reduced prices.

M. JARVIS.

THE WINDSOR HOTEL

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BRAZIER & KENNEY - Red Deer, Alta.

RATES \$1.00 PER DAY.

Excellent Cuisine Finest Liquors and Cigars
Patet Blue Ribbon and Schlitz Beer a specialty.

Barber Shop and Shoe Shining Parlor in connection.

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J. W. BROUGHTON,
Engineer, Millwright, Machinist

ENGINE FITTING AND MACHINE SHOP.

Shaft turning, Wheeling and Pipes screw cut to any size and number of threads by machinery.
Repairs to all kinds of machinery promptly executed. The works are fitted throughout by most modern new machinery driven by 5 h.p. engine.

PATERSON & Co.

Beg to announce that they have now opened their new store on Gaetz Ave., next to English Church, with a full and fresh stock of best Groceries.

ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.
PHONE 100.

EVERY ALBERTA FARMER SHOULD EAT

B. & K. OATS

exclusively. Because they are manufactured in Alta. from Alberta Oats, and are second to none.

We carry a stock at our Red Deer Elevator to accommodate Stores in Red Deer and District.

CUT OUT THIS COUPON

Library Voting Contest.
Good for Ten Votes.

Cut out, fill in name of organization you wish to vote for and deposit in box at Gaetz' Drug Store.

Name of favorite organization:

Name of Voter:

Red Deer Music Co.,

DEALERS IN
PIANOS, ORGANS,
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and small Musical Instruments.

At Munro's Tailor Shop.
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Good stock always
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OSLER, HAMMOND & NANTON,
Agents, WINNIPEG, MAN.

C. S. LOTT, Agent, CALGARY, ALTA.

For plans, etc., apply to
H. H. GAETZ, RED DEER.

Evarts News.

R. L. Tennant has taken up the position at Jim McKechnie's mill as cook.

D. S. Smith spent a couple of days in Calgary on business last week.

With the 'Chinook' came a smile on several faces.

E. Good our popular blacksmith was elected Overseer for the village for the ensuing year.

Mrs. Wanless who has been teaching at the Blue Bell School has moved to Ponoka to take charge of the school there.

Miss Mina Braton of Red Deer spent a few days out here this week.

E. S. Hussey has gone to Edmonton in the interests of the local creamery.

At the English Church service last Sunday here the collection for Foreign Missionary work and the sermon was preached by Rev. York, who in an eloquent address on Missionary work was able to hand over to the society the sum of ten dollars.

We are pleased to state that Hannes Eymundson is gradually recovering from his serious illness.

Smith Br's are having their store fitted up with new cases and shelves by E. Riley.

J. McDonnell and Pierce, Sundayed over in the vicinity.

High River Times: On Wednesday afternoon of last week, Mr. W. B. Hasted, who was well known in High River and vicinity was in town transacting business as usual and apparently perfectly well. He left for his home some miles east of town early in the afternoon, but did not reach there alive. His team arrived without him some time in the evening and his terrified wife summoned assistance from her neighbors, and a search was instituted, which resulted in the finding of the body some two miles from his home.

THE TURN OF THE TIDE.

Montreal, Jan. 25.—The Conservatives won a sweeping victory to-day in the election in St. Antoine Division to fill the vacancy in the Quebec Legislature caused by the death of Ald. Carter, Mr. C. Ernest Gault, Conservative, being elected over Percy Ryan, Liberal, by a majority of 970. Mr. Gault is a prominent member of the Montreal Stock Exchange.

An Heroic Doctor

It was midnight. A sudden ring of the night bell aroused the doctor from his slumbers. 'Who is it? What do you want?' he asked. 'They think Mrs. Morris is dying, you come?' was the answer. 'Alright' said the doctor and soon he was at the bedside of the sick woman where one glance showed him her critical condition. There is one slight chance of saving her he said to Mr. Morris. 'Tell me are you willing to risk your life for your wife?' 'I would die for her' Mr. Morris replied. 'And yet' continued the doctor 'I doubt if in your case it would be efficacious you are weak with anxiety and watching, bring the light, and be ready to assist me.' And then without any qualified assistance and for the sake of this poor woman, one of the noblest acts of heroism was performed. Baring his own arm, the doctor made an incision, and injected into the woman blood from his own veins. Few without surgical knowledge realise the danger of the operation known as 'transfusion.' It is at all times a dangerous operation. The slightest hitch or error and the life of both patient & doctor would have been sacrificed. The patient recovered. The doctor lives to-day in the person of Marcus Eustace, whose name and story was described in the Daily Mail. It is gratifying to hear that the relatives of Dr. Eustace have now made provision for his future.

Town of Red Deer.

Tenders for supplies for 1907. Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked "Tender for supplies" will be received up till noon on Friday, the first day of March, for the furnishing of the following classes of material:
Lumber
Hardware
Chemicals
Hay
Oats
Coal

A certified cheque will have to accompany each tender.

Full particulars, specifications and quantities required, can be obtained at the office of the Sec. Treas.

The corporation do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

L. C. FULMER, Sec. Treas.
Red Deer Jan 31.

Supreme Court.

The sitting of the supreme court was resumed on Wednesday last with Mr. Justice Stuart presiding, while the Crown was represented by C. H. Durie, of Edmonton. There was some delay waiting for trains and the court on Tuesday adjourned to Wednesday before getting down to work. The following criminal cases were up for hearing:

King vs. Tolman; rape.
King vs. Larkins; theft.
King vs. Jardine; indecent assault.

King vs. Lull; burglary.
King vs. Worsnap; theft.
King vs. Cortland; maiming cattle.

King vs. Pocha; horse stealing.

King vs. Smith; aggravated assault.

King vs. Stelbritz; aggravated assault.

King vs. Shular; cattle stealing.

King vs. Tolman was adjourned to next court.

King vs. Larkins, was also adjourned to next court.

King vs. Jardine was a case of gross indecency, in which several small boys were connected. The Judge in giving sentence was very severe, and said there was no redeeming feature in the revolting crime committed by the prisoner and he would therefore make an example of him and would sentence him to two years in the penitentiary and to receive twenty lashes, ten each year, under medical supervision.

King vs. Lull, for burglary at the Alberta hotel, resulted in Lull getting three months. As he had been in gaol three months, this made six months in all.

King vs. Worsnap, charged with theft of a wagon at Stettin. Mr. Payne put up a good defence for the prisoner and succeeded in getting him off.

King vs. Cortland, charged with maiming cattle was acquitted. J. C. Moore for defence.

King vs. Smith, a case of assault at Lacombe. Fined \$100.

King vs. Stelbritz, a case of assault from the Lacombe district, as the prisoner had been in gaol 68 days he was released.

King vs. Shular, adjourned to next court.

Hansen vs. C. P. R., took up the time of the court Friday and Saturday, as this case is familiar to almost everybody in Red Deer, and as very little new evidence is being brought forward there is little to say on the new trial. (continued on last page.)

For Sale Rent or Exchange for Town Property

Two improved quarter sections together, near Burnt Lake Village 20 acres or more broken on each. Good buildings and fencing. Almost a beautiful situation. Can be broken without much expense. These are two excellent farms and will go quick. It will pay you to investigate now.

Apply at News Office.

Red Deer, Jan. 29th 1907 1-31



THE ROSS COMPANY

wishes to announce to the people of Red Deer and vicinity that they have opened out in

THE STAR MUSIC STORE,
Gaetz Ave.,

with a new and up-to-date stock of all kinds of Music.

Here's Song Folios, Piano Studies, Popular Songs, Pianos, Organs, etc., at out prices.

Here also a stock that contains anything and everything you may want in the way of Musical Instruments.

Accessories & Supplies

Come to us, first and always, and we will try and use you right. Red Deer can well afford to support an exclusive Music store, and The Star will supply a long felt want in that line.

T. H. Ross, our manager, has had over 20 years' experience along that line, and, buying from us, you have his experience in helping you to select your instrument.

Respectfully yours,

THE ROSS COMPANY
Star Music Store.

NO MORE CREDIT.

By a cash system we can sell to you cheaper. It will save you 20c. and 25c. on the dollar. From the 1st of February, we will sell for cash:

STEAK, shoulder, 8c. lb. ROAST 8c. lb.
" round 10c. " RIB ROAST 10c. "
" sirloin 12½ " boiling & stewing 6c. "
PORK, 10c. & 12½c. "
Fish, Oysters, Bacon, Lard, Onions, &c.

You will readily see, by comparing these prices with the old, that you will be effecting a saving of, from 20c. to 25c. on the dollar. That is to say, you have not only NO butcher's bill to meet at the end of the month, but you are several dollars to the good.

ALWAYS MEAT OF THE PRIMEST QUALITY.

We will deliver as usual.

P. M. PANRUCKER Butcher.
PHONE NO. 4.

As Winter is drawing to a close

Now is the time to commence considering your requirements for spring goods. We have a full line of Hosier and Kentucky Drills in shoe, single and double discs, which are, without doubt, the best drill on the market. We also have the De Laval Cream Separator which, as a separator, stands in a class by itself. We sell them on easy terms of payment. We also carry in stock a complete line of Farm Implements. Prices right and quality guaranteed. Call and inspect our stock before buying elsewhere.

SPRINGBETT & BOWHEY.

FARM SCALES.

Every farmer should have a pair of Chatham Farm Scales, for, by using them, you will make or save the price in one year.

The Chatham scale will weigh anything up to 2,000 lbs and you get a government certificate with every set.

Now we have a large stock of these scales on hand, and more on order, and for the next thirty days we are reducing the prices and extending the terms.

The old price was \$34.50 cash

The new is \$30.00 cash

or if you want time we will give it you on application.

Remember we supply, for \$1.50 extra, plans and irons for a stock rack to fit this scale, so that you can weigh your live pigs, horses or cattle.

INCUBATORS AND BROODERS.

We are prepared to prove that the raising of poultry and the sale of eggs is the most profitable part of the production of a farm. We know, and you know, that the raising of chickens by setting hens is uncertain, vexatious and wasteful, and while we are offering you better means of conducting the business, we are doing it on such terms that there is no risk or experiment on your part. Come in and see us, and get our prices and terms.

Wishing all our patrons and friends a Merry Christmas,

WILSON & McCUTCHEON.

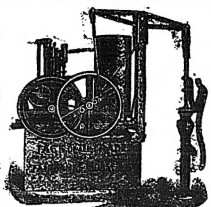
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ENGINEER AND MACHINIST,
GAETZ AVE.

All kinds of work in metal

Saws Hammered

Agent for Fairbanks and
Morse Gasoline Engines,
Feed Choppers, etc.

All kinds of Wood Work
Machinery.



Library Voting Contest. 100 Volumes and Case.

Now an exhibition in Gaetz's drug store window. This elegant library and handsome case will be given by vote to the church, school or other society securing the largest number of votes in the following manner: The merchants listed below will give with each 10 cents cash purchase one vote. The contest begins on Nov. 26th, 1906, and closes April 24th, 1907. The ballot box is placed in Gaetz's drug store, where votes are to be deposited. At the close of the contest the church, school or society, having the largest number of votes will be awarded the library. Current accounts where promptly paid will be entitled to votes. Remember votes can only be secured by trading with the merchants listed below. Each week the News will announce the approximate standing of the contest.

Every new subscriber to the News will receive 100 ballots entitling them to as many votes for their favorite church, school or society. Elsewhere in this issue will be found a coupon, which cut out of the News will count ten votes.

BEST BROS.
Furniture

LORD
General Merchant

H. H. GAETZ
Drugs

PIDGON & WALLACE
Clothing

F. H. TALLMAN
Hardware

H. W. HOSKIN & Co.
Implement

R. A. JACOBSON
Jeweller

P. M. PANRUCKER
Butchers Phone No. 4

J. E. BOWER
Building Contractor Phone 81

WELLIVER & BRAKE
Real Estate

C. HAMILTON & SON
Baker and Confectioner

THE NEWS
Gaetz Avenue

MR. J. M. COURTNEY

**Retired After Thirty-Seven
of Official Service at Ottawa**
Wednesday, the 31st October,
at day Mr. J. M. Courtenay,

Mr. J. M. Courtney, 1880, of the people of Canada. In 1880 he came from England to accept of the post of chief clerk of the Canadian navy. Nine years later he was appointed to be Deputy Minister of the navy so that he has been altogether 29 years in official life in this country. Courtney is of good Cornish stock, his father being Lord Courtney of Liverpool, probably one of the strongest intellectual and most independent spirits that ever figured in the history of Great Britain. Mr. Courtney has a good deal of his father's independent spirit. He has a clear and shining example to

in civil service, representative of the type of the English public servant always had before him a high standard. It has been noted for his unswerving integrity, devotion to duty, independence.

Playing Safety.
 Justice Magistrate — Thirty days for you, sonner—Faith an' that do be
 Pwrat would yez say if O
 yez an old fool?
 Justice Magistrate—I'd add ten

Need Watchful.
Price-Price—Yes, I need a
badly, but I can't take it just
of my patients are in such a
that I can't afford to leave
need constant nursing.
—Ah, yes! Foxy people.

As to a Novelist,
"gushed the sweet young
such a delightful writer. I
w he works?"
ing from the quality and
his output," responded the
ing, "I should imagine the
with both hands and die
his mouth."—Washington H

Succeeded.
 on—You say Grafton is a success?
 bert—He certainly is.
 t I understand his business?
 re questionable. Why then
 successful man?"
 cause he's kept out of jail so
 kers Statesman.

Advice to Beginners.



When you get your car always
things yourself. Don't depe

Just the One.

Not Always What They Seem
The average fur buyer knows the far eastern mink is simply marmot with the black stripes and in with a toothbrush. The buyer knows that the low price of lynx sets are nothing but the wildcats or Roumanian cat. In the cases soft Chinese wolf fur, he knows that the white ermine is really selling for a song.

musks selling for a song
weasels, and yellow weasels
bring a white weasel com-
as high a price as its dear
the ermine? Then the sable
and muffs that sell for a
are of course nothing but c
e, while the cheaper caracal
mply kid astrakhan, which
being entirely different from
different indeed as ordi
n is from broadtail. The

A Darling Bishop.
 Story of the great Bishop Selwyn of New Zealand is told by Commander of the British navy in the South Sea Islands. The bishop's missionary journey to the Southern Cross, touched a high note when entering the harbor of

...New Caledonia. It be-
...to examine her bottom
...arks were so numerous as
...that nobody would venture
...water. "So the bishop, who
...a man showed a bold front
...he would sheer off, went
...himself with a long, sharp
...mouth for defense, and, d
...his vessel, ascertained the
...te then came on board our
...agreed to accept the

For some curious reason a shark dove in sight all the time

CUSHING BROS. CO.

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We handle nothing but the best, and we are content to "live and let live." Our stock of lumber is all in every way.

K. M. BYERS,
MANAGER RED DEER YARD

Local and General

The town council are asking for supplies in another column.

The Fire Brigade will hold a grand entertainment in the Opera House on the 12th inst. See bills.

Mrs. W. E. Lord, will receive the second and fourth Tuesday in each month, instead of first and third Wednesday as formerly.

G. A. Love is now in the real estate business at the coast and is a member of the firm of Parsons, Love & Co. real estate dealers Victoria, B.C.

Wednesday the 13th inst. being Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent, there will be service in St. Luke's church at 8 o'clock in the evening.

The Grand Lodge of Alberta A. F. and A. M. will meet at Macleod on Wednesday 20th of February. Delegates from the local lodge will be present.

The masonic ball and supper which was announced to be held on the 11th has been postponed for the present.

Miss Carrie M. Cowan, daughter of John Cowan, K. C. Sarina, Ont., is coming to live with her aunt, Miss Cowan of the public school staff Red Deer.

W. H. Heighton, who is in Ontario on a visit, was the guest of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Hastings, at Moulinette a short time ago. Walter is having a good time.

Joseph Wright, of Oumette, Wigan & Co. who returned from Antonio a short time ago, says the people of the east are never tired of talking of the west. He reports seeing a large number of dead animals along the line of the C. P. R. on the way up.

Mr. C. E. A. Symons, secretary-treasurer of the town of Ledue was in Red Deer last week and gave us a friendly call. Mr. Symons was in town interviewing town clerk Fulmer with regard to improving the municipal system in Ledue. It is a well known fact that Red Deer's system of municipal book keeping and the present secretary treasurer, is equal to anything in the province and it is evident our sister towns are becoming aware of the fact.

Mr. Frank Farley remarked the other day that nothing gave him so much pleasure on his way from the east as to say he was from Red Deer district. When people began to console with him over our shortage of coal and wood he would laugh and say, "why bless you, we have all the coal we want a few miles away and all the wood we can use for years to come. No shortage of fuel in the Red Deer district, thank you."

Be sure and attend the Fire Brigade Concert in the Opera House on Tuesday evening next 12 inst. A splendid and varied programme will be given of vocal and instrumental selections, club singing, step dancing, fireman's drill, and other attractions, to conclude with a laughable farce entitled "Grimshaw, Bagshaw, and Bradshaw." Help the Brigade along by your presence. Plan of hall at Gaetz drug store.

Mr. Pinkerman, of the Arlington Hotel, who has been up to Banff sanitarium for a severe attack of rheumatism, returned last week fully cured. He is greatly pleased with his treatment.

Nelson Murphy, grandnephew of Charles Murphy, of the Dominion Land Office and Nelson Murphy, merchant of Red Deer died recently at Maitland, N.S., in his 79th year.

A Chapter of St. Andrew's Brotherhood has been formed in connection with St. Luke's church of E. Wilton as director, C.J. Walsh as vice director, and R. Graham, secretary.

James Dannerman was in town over Sunday and he says the cattle situation in some parts of the south is very serious. He thinks fully ten per cent of the ranch cattle have perished from want of feed and the intense cold.

The Lacombe branch of the C. P. R. was so badly frozen up last week that communication with Stettler was cut off. The last train to make an attempt at leaving on this branch line was frozen up just a short distance from Erskine. The C. P. R. had the passengers removed to Erskine.

The annual meeting of the Piper Brick and Tile Company, limited, was held on Monday evening last. A board of directors for the ensuing year was elected and over \$2000 of surplus was transferred to capital account for improving and increasing the plant for the coming season.

Negotiations are in progress looking towards the location of an electric railway east from Innisfail to Mayton and the Ghost Pine Coal mines, one of the most valuable coal mines yet discovered in this part of the province. Thus far much encouragement has been met with.

W.C. Cowell, of the Dominion Lands Office, left for Ottawa on Friday last in response to a wire received from the Deputy Minister to report at the Capital as soon as possible. He will be away probably two months. His services were required in connection with the forming of the new Lands Acts.

Niel Mifflin has probably been the most important man in the past cold weather. With his steam boiler he has kept the hydrants thawed out and while to the onlooker it would not seem to be of much importance, if one of the hydrants had been neglected and a fire followed half the business portion of the town might have been destroyed.

A bachelor living out west, who shall be nameless, came to town and took just a "wee drop" too much on Friday last. Instead of starting out with his team, which was tied behind F. H. Talman's, he laid down beside his rig. As it was fifty below he began to freeze and if Chief Rothnie had not noticed him he would have been left in his cold bed. The chief took him to his office and thawed out his fingers and feet and a so the side of his face, kept him until he was himself again and sent him home.

Mrs. Baird, who was under the doctor's care in the east, returned to Red Deer a short time ago.

There will be a grand carnival of all nations at the rink on Feb. 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Dempsey arrived in Red Deer from Ontario on Friday last.

The Central Alberta Land Co. may open a real estate office in Calgary this spring.

F. W. Gaetz, of Gaetz Bros. Ranch, spent a few days in Calgary last week.

The new system of electric lights at the court house give general satisfaction.

The Central Stock Growers Association will hold their first annual meeting in Red Deer on Wednesday Feb. 27th.

The meeting to organize a branch of the Alberta Farmers' Association at Willowdale was postponed to Saturday Feb. 18th.

Mrs. F.W. Gaetz returned to Red Deer on Friday last after spending two months with her relatives at Oxford Nova Scotia.

D. Earle, of the firm of Michener, Cawcutt and Co., has purchased Everett Martin's Residence on Victoria Avenue.

Any one wanting a first class farm on the coast in ten acres lots can get such a farm by applying to Thos. Guerd.

The thermometer took a dip to 36 below zero on Saturday night. The present winter will long be remembered as the coldest ever experienced in Alberta.

Rev. B. Goodfield B.A. will preach both morning and evening in the Baptist church next Sunday. The subjects will be as follows: Morning "Prairie mountains" Evening "The King"

Good congregational singing, free seats, and a warm welcome for all.

The C.P.R. are preparing to push work in the Spring. Material for the switches in the new yards has already arrived and a progressive policy will be followed as the present yard accommodation here is far too small for the amount of business done at this point.

Mr. Reedy, who for some two or three years was a member of the Royal Irish Constabulary, has we understand received the appointment of Chief of Police of Innisfail. We congratulate our sister town on getting a first class man to take charge of the police work there.

Farmers who are wise will keep their grain in good shape by giving them a little stock food this cold weather. D.S. Long is agent for Carmafac the well known stock food and he is selling \$1.70 packages for 75c. and 50 cent packages for 40 cents. Try a package now.

It has been decided that the Red Deer brass band, will join with the fire brigade and in the future will be known as the Fire Brigade Brass Band. The officers are: Bandmaster, Canon Hinchliffe Asst. Bandmaster, F.W.H. Hart Sec. Treas. W.J. McLeod

Chas. A. Webster, an old man living alone on his farm, two miles south of Ponoka was found very ill by one of his neighbors recently. Dr. Stephenson was summoned, but when the physician arrived the old man had passed away. The doctor was of the opinion that the old gentleman had died from an over dose of Carbolic acid.

At a gathering of the clans in Calgary, to do honor to Scotland's great poet, Bobby Burns, recently, Miss Agnes Paterson, sister of Mr. Paterson of Paterson and Co., general merchants of Gaetz ave. North, gave several special Scotch dances in costume which were a great delight to those present. Miss Paterson won the gold medal for national dances at the city hall Glasgow in 1902, and other medals since at "gatherings of the Clans."

Ray G. Cornett who for many years has been clerk i. H. H. Gaetz's drug store has been taken into the business and in future the firm will be known as the Gaetz-Cornett Drug and Book company. We congratulate Ray on his well earned promotion and may say that, although he is now added to Red Deer's progressive business men, to a large number of old timers he will be the same old Ray.

At the annual meeting of the Red Deer Liberal Association on Tuesday evening at the Alexandria Hall the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President G. W. Smith; 1st Vice President, Henry Jamieson; 2nd Vice President, F. S. Simpson; Sec. Treas., J.J. Gaetz; Executive, J.R. Cowell, Hugh Clark, H. G. Stone, J. Carlyle Moore, W.L. Oumette, E.S. Hogg, F.W. Galbraith.

J.T. Moore, M. P. P. and J.R. Cowell, were in town over Sunday.

Wetaskiwin Times.—Messrs. W. Forbes and A.R. Dickson are in Red Deer this week, the former attending the supreme court and the latter is arranging for the opening of a sub sheriff's office.

Ex-Mayor Michener returned from the coast on Monday evening. He reports a large number of Alberta people in Victoria and Vancouver. The weather there was soft. They encountered a snowslide in the mountains which delayed and might have wrecked the train.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Hezzelwood were the guests of Mrs. J.A. Carswell for a few days last week. Mr. Hezzelwood is a member of the well known firm of Carriage builders, R.S. McLaughlin and Co., Oshawa, Ont., and is in the west looking over the ground in the interest of his firm. He was greatly impressed with Red Deer and remarked that should his first think of creating a branch of their works in the west Red Deer would be his choice of all the towns he had visited in Alberta.

Mr. Bennett's Lecture

The Opera House was comfortably filled on Wednesday evening last to hear R.B. Bennett, B.A. the well known lawyer of Calgary give his lecture on "Some Views on the Temperance Question."

The chair was occupied by Rev. A.C. Farrell, who introduced the speaker with a few well timed remarks. Mr. Bennett prefaced his lecture on "Some Views on the Temperance Question," by saying that it was the people who elected the legislators who were responsible for the liquor traffic. The hotel keeper was licensed just the same as an auctioneer was licensed and he was entitled to the protection of the law just the same as any other citizen. He divided his subject into three heads the position of the liquor traffic to the individual; to the state. He cited instances to show the tendency of the age was towards total abstinence. The great railway corporations, the monetary institutions, the great labor organizations all favored the total abstinence. Ones duty to his neighbor, the influence every man has over some one, the treating system all come in for a share of his remarks while the vast sums spent for drink would soon pay off our national debt if devoted to that purpose. After an hour of hot shot, and bursts of his well known eloquence when he left his seat for a few moments he wound up one of the best addresses ever heard on the temperance question in Red Deer. At the close he was heartily applauded.

Supreme Court.

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The Hansen case was concluded Monday afternoon when the jury brought in a verdict for the plaintiff, Hansen, for \$8,500 and costs of both trials.

It will be remembered Hansen had his foot cut off while attempting to cross the railway track at the station and was awarded \$3,500. The C. P. R. appealed, and then dropped the appeal, thus the present trial. Messrs. Crawford, Muir, and Nolan for prosecution, Messrs. R. B. Bennett and W. E. Payne for defence

Penhold.

Stewart Bros. shipped three cars of grain last week.

Coal hauling is no snap these days. Several of our haulers have to come in with half loads.

The Penhold Rifle Association will hold their annual meeting on Saturday next 9th inst. All members are requested to attend.

At last Penhold is being noticed by the outside world. We have it on good authority that the Alberta Pacific Elevator Co. have secured a site here, and will build this year.

Wilbert Gillis, son of Geo. Gillis who sometime ago took up a homestead east of Stettler, has not been seen by his friends for over six weeks, when he brought his wife into Stettler, who is now visiting his parents. His wife says they had great difficulty in getting in, and it is feared he must have got off the trail in going back. Needles to say his wife and parents are very anxious. We sincerely trust Webb will turn up shortly.

On Saturday last the Penhold Branch of the Alberta Farmers' Association met to complete organization. Quite a number turned out. Several interesting discussions took place. It was decided to ask the Department to arrange for the Institute Meeting to be held here. The subjects asked to be lectured on are Poultry, Hog Raising and Weeds.

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